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**PUBLIC NOTICE FOR
REAPPOINTMENT OF A FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDER**

The current term of office of Lisa Freeland, Federal Public Defender for the Western District of Pennsylvania is due to expire on September 30, 2012. As required by statute, 18 *U.S.C.* §3006A, the United States Court of Appeals for the Third Circuit is considering the reappointment of Ms. Freeland to a new four-year term and has appointed a committee to assist in its review. The Committee consists of attorneys from the Western District of Pennsylvania, who will report their findings to the Court of Appeals.

The public is invited to submit comments for consideration regarding the reappointment of Ms. Freeland to a new term of office. All comments should be directed to the e-mail address:

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Comments must be received not later than **Friday, June 1, 2012.**